

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Martin Frederick Pera

Examiner: J. Voitach

Serial No.: 09/885,679

Art Unit: 1632

Filed: June 20, 2001

Docket: 14727

For: IMPROVED METHODS OF CULTURING
EMBRYONIC STEM CELLS AND
CONTROLLED DIFFERENTIATION

Dated: September 8, 2004

Confirmation No.: 6362

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.121

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 9, 2004, and in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.121, Applicant respectfully submits the following amendment for entry in the above-identified case.

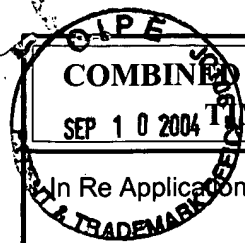
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COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)

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In Re Application Of: **Martin Frederick Pera**

Application No. 09/885,679	Filing Date June 20, 2001	Examiner J. Woitach	Customer No. 23389	Group Art Unit 1632	Confirmation No. 6362
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Invention: **IMPROVED METHODS OF CULTURING EMBRYONIC STEM CELLS AND CONTROLLED DIFFERENTIATION**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of March 9, 2004 in the above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month ☐ Two months ☒ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

from: June 9, 2004 until: September 9, 2004
Date *Date*

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	
TOTAL CLAIMS	28 -	62 =	0	x \$18.00	\$0.00	
INDEP. CLAIMS	2 -	6 =	0	x \$86.00	\$0.00	
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00	
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$950.00	
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$950.00	

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The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of **\$950.00** for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of **\$0.00**
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. **19-1013/SSMP**
- ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **19-1013/SSMP**


Signature

Dated: September 8, 2004

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